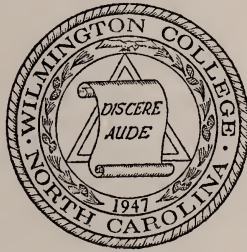


Wilmington College  
Seventeenth Graduation Program

*nineteen hundred sixty-six*



*College Gymnasium*

*Sunday afternoon, June twelfth, four o'clock*

# *Program*

"March for Timpani and Brass" . . . . . Heisinger  
Wilmington College Brass Ensemble  
Mr. William F. Adcock, Conductor

Processional—"Rigaudon" . . . . . Campra  
Mr. Frank Honey, Organist

Invocation . . . . . Rev. James C. Brown  
Pastor, Sunset Park Methodist Church

Introduction of Speaker . . . . . Dr. J. Paul Reynolds  
Dean of the Faculty

Address . . . . . Mr. J. Paul Lucas, Jr.  
Member, North Carolina Board of Higher Education  
Vice-President, Duke Power Company

"Glory to God" . . . . . Whear  
The Top Twelve  
Mr. Loyd Hudson, Conductor

Award of "Hoggard Medal of Achievement" . Mr. L. Bradford Tillery  
Chairman, Board of Trustees

Presentation of Candidates for the Degree . Mr. Thomas P. Brown  
Acting Dean of Students

Conferring of Degrees . . . . . Dr. William M. Randall  
President of the College

Benediction . . . . . Rev. James C. Brown

Recessional—"Postlude on Hymn to Joy" . . . . . Young  
Mr. Frank Honey

# Members of Graduating Class

## COMPLETED REQUIREMENTS FOR THE DEGREE DECEMBER, 1965

Cavenaugh, Betty Matthews  
Collins, William Ray  
Conner, Grady Lee  
\*Corbett, Waddell Albert  
Gluszczak, Stella Vdovich

Green, Donald Charles  
Hewett, Frances Dianne  
\*Joye, Artis Roland  
Stephenson, Robert Hinton  
Vogels, Mary Wilhelmina

## COMPLETED REQUIREMENTS FOR THE DEGREE MARCH, 1966

Batson, Ruth Gertrude  
Fullwood, Ernest Berlin  
Hall, Sylvia Cowan  
Highsmith, Hugh Bradford, II  
Howard, Bonnie Mae  
Jacobs, Fred Alton

Lewis, Loretta Bancroft  
McRae, Patricia Gail  
Newber, John Frederick, Jr.  
Newsome, Leslie Ronald  
Piver, Edwin Glenn

## CANDIDATES FOR THE DEGREE JUNE, 1966

Abbott, John Bryan, Jr.  
Anderson, Perry, Jr.  
Barber, Donald Irvin  
Beasley, Patricia Ann  
Best, Freddie William  
Biggs, Joleen Hunter  
Bordeaux, Linda Fay, cum laude  
Bordeaux, Raymond Lloyd, Jr.  
Bostic, Jo Ann  
Brinkley, Eston Clyde, Jr.  
Brothers, James Medford, Jr.  
Bryant, Parker Hope, magna cum laude  
Burr, Dorothy Jennings  
Calloway, Gladys Schroeder,  
    summa cum laude  
Carr, Wilbur Eldred, Jr.  
Chappell, James Timothy  
Clark, James William  
Coxe, Roberta Sparkes  
Debnam, Thomas Richard, IV  
Eakins, Robert Brady, Jr.  
Edwards, Sandra Jean  
Elixson, Mary Sue  
Ezzard, George Gray, Jr.  
Farlow, James Hopkins  
Fraley, Raymond Wilford, Jr.  
Fussell, Sara Alice  
Hall, James Louis  
Hall, Needham Crowell  
Holland, Margaret Connelly, cum laude  
    with honors in English  
Horrell, Lucille Balcombe  
Hudson, Carl Franklin, Jr.  
Humphrey, Elizabeth Heath  
Johnson, Herman Jerome  
Jones, Linda Kay, with honors in Spanish  
King, Joseph Lewis III, magna cum laude

Lassiter, Alice Marie, cum laude  
Lee, Ronald Earl  
Lewis, Richard Carman  
Loftus, John Arthur  
McCord, Robert Franklin  
McKecuen, George  
Mabry, Margaret Mills  
Mack, Marilyn Ruth  
Maulsby, Edward White  
Meshaw, Martha Baughman  
Morton, William Lee  
O'Brien, Catherine Collins  
Padgett, David Vann  
Padgett, Delano McCrae  
Page, Bonnie Taylor  
Peterson, Daniel Jerome  
Pratt, Franklin Lock  
Register, Catherine Blanchard  
Royal, Jewel Jo  
Saunders, Lloyd Harrell,  
    with honors in biology  
Skipper, Thelton Quay  
Smith, Anne Davis  
Smith, Samuel Dudley, Jr.  
Spell, Elmore, Jr.  
Sterling, James Edward  
Tennille, Robert Mell, III  
Thompson, Daniel Horace  
Thompson, Jerry Moore  
Tyler, Samuel Thomas  
Upchurch, Charles Johnson  
Ward, Everett Keal, Jr.  
Ware, George Wray  
Webb, Roger Lane  
Wells, Margaret Perry  
Williamson, Henry Franklin  
Wood, Percy Lee

## MARSHALS

Dr. Frederick Hornack, for the faculty  
Miss Patricia A. Futchs, for the graduating class

## USHERS

Mary Anne Bosso, Robert S. King, Michael Koseruba, Judy Kay Ring

\*in absentia

*Joseph*  
*Barrett*  
*Thompson*

## *Academic Regalia*

Three academic degrees are generally recognized: the bachelor, the master, and the doctor. The name of each degree seems to have been determined by medieval university custom. The bachelor's degree, the baccalaureate, takes its name directly from the medieval practice of "bachelors" wearing a garland of bayberries. The master's degree was equivalent to a license to teach, and sometimes was followed by the express words *Licentia Docendi*. The doctor's degree was originally a title of respect, and a recognition of great learning. Today, the doctor's degree when earned by study, as is true of the Doctor of Philosophy degree, indicates advanced study and independent research in a specialized field of learning, whereas honorary degrees are granted for meritorious service and for distinction in public or private endeavor. In the medieval university, students and teachers wore gowns indicating their status and scholastic achievement.

Those holding a bachelor's degree wear a gown of worsted material, fastened at the top, and distinguished by long pointed sleeves hanging nearly to the knees. The master's gown, worn open, has long closed sleeves with an arc of a circle appearing near the bottom and a slit for the arm near the middle of the sleeves. The doctor's gown, also worn open, is faced with a broad strip of velvet, and has three bars of velvet on each sleeve.

A hood may be worn with the gown. The bachelor's hood is three feet long, with a two-inch strip of velvet; the master's hood is three and one-half feet long, faced with a three-inch strip of velvet; the doctor's hood is four feet long, faced with a five-inch strip of velvet. The color of the tassel or the velvet strip on the hood indicates the field of study in which the degree was earned or granted, as for example: Arts, WHITE; Science, YELLOW; Education, LIGHT BLUE; Engineering, ORANGE; Music, PINK; Library School, LEMON YELLOW; Business, DRAB; Law, PURPLE; Divinity, SCARLET; Medicine, GREEN; Philosophy, BLUE. Each hood is also lined in silk with the colors of the institution which granted the degree, as for example, the Wilmington College hood will be lined with green and gold.

The appropriate cap for all degrees is the familiar black "mortar board." A black tassel, or one of a color signifying the field of specialization, hanging to the left of the face, is appropriate for all degrees. Those holding a doctor's degree may wear a soft velvet cap of the color indicating their field of study, or with the "mortar board" may wear a tassel in whole or in part of gold thread.